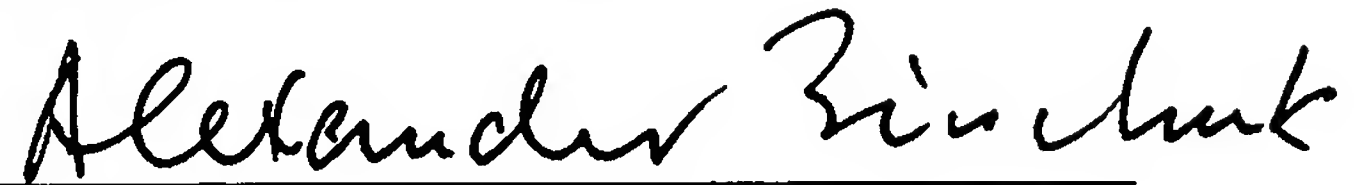


**REMARKS**

The present amendment eliminates multiple dependency of claims 3-6 8 and 11-13.

An early Action on merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

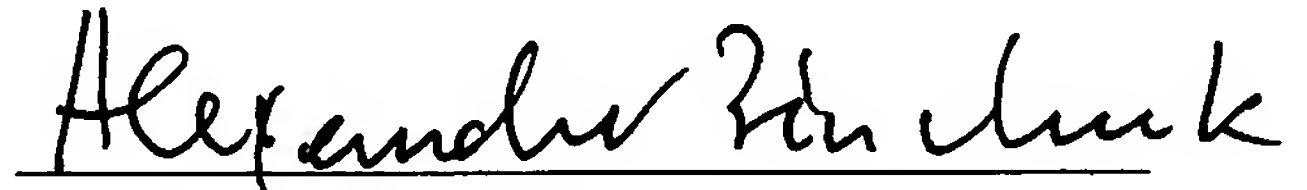


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